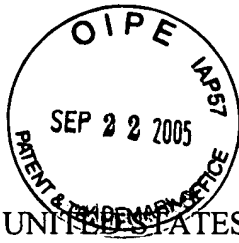


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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MASAO OKADA ET AL.)
Application No.: 09/537,288)
Filed: March 29, 2000)
For: ANIMATION DISPLAY)
APPARATUS, ARCADE)
GAME MACHINE, CONTROL)
METHOD AND APPARATUS)
THEREOF, AND STORAGE)
MEDIUM)
Examiner: J. M. Hotaling
Art Unit: 3713
September 19, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2005, to and including Saturday, September 17, 2005. A check in the amount of \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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Signature

September 19, 2005

Date of Signature

In response to that Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows, the changes to the claims being reflected in the listing that begins at page 3, and the Remarks beginning at page 15.